

hold any office or position under the Commission, who holds any official relation to any common carrier, railroad corporation, street railroad corporation, gas corporation, electrical corporation, telephone corporation, telegraph corporation, water company, heat and refrigerating company, transportation of property or freight company, or other public service corporation subject to any of the provisions of this Act, or who own stocks or bonds therein, or who has any pecuniary interest therein.

#### JURISDICTION OF THE COMMISSION.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted by the General Assembly,* That the jurisdiction, supervision, powers and duties of the Public Service Commission herein created and established shall extend under this Act:

1. To railroads and street railroads lying within this State, and to the person or corporation owning, leasing, operating or controlling the same.

2. To street railroads, any portion of whose lines lie within any incorporated city or town within this State, containing not less than two thousand inhabitants, and to all transportation of persons or property thereon, and to the person or corporation owning, operating, controlling or leasing the said street railroads.

3. To such portion of the lines of any other railroad as lie within this State, and to the person or corporation owning, leasing, operating or controlling the same, so far as concerns the construction, maintenance, equipment, terminal facilities and local transportation facilities and local transportation of persons or property within the State.

4. To any common carrier operating or doing business within the State.

5. To the manufacture, sale or distribution of gas, natural and artificial, and electricity for light, heat and power, within the State of Maryland, and to the persons or corporation owning, leasing, operating or controlling the same; and to gas and electric plants, and to persons or corporations owning, operating, leasing or controlling the same.

6. To all telephone lines, as above defined, and all telegraph lines as above defined, and to every telephone company, and to every telegraph company, so far as said telephone and telegraph lines are and lie, and so far as said telephone companies and said telegraph companies conduct and operate such line or lines, respectively, within this State.